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Last call of the assessors!

Time to be reducing your stock of three-cent postage stamps and two-cent ferred from the New Hampshire conferpostal cards.

Among our expected summer guests we can get along without is the 17- in our neighboring state, and for the past year locust. In fact, there is no welcome anywhere for Mr. Pest,

The News predicts that Lieut. Gov. Mason S. Stone will know everyone on the boat that will take him over before he has been out three days. We wish him luck and a safe return.-Northfield

And if it comes to a draw vote he will break the tie and order the ship into the efficient worker at anything that he unterminal forthwith.

The German who is alleged to have tried to set fire to the transport Patricia on the homeward trip with several thousand New England troops is now called "crazy." While admitting that possibility, it would be well to investigate aldson, of Windsor. "higher up" and see whether the lunacy was not infectious.

Another of the weekly newspapers in because of the advanced cost of the various materials going into the making of subscription price will be two dollars per a year. year. The Herald and News certainly is justified in asking for the increase because it is one of the finest weekly newspapers in northern New England and is a l distinct credit to the field in which it circulates

All the Barre banks are ready to put themselves at your service in buying bonds of the fifth (Victory) loan; and to accommodate the bank people as much treasurer, Mrs. Maggie Griffin. as possible in that public service you ought to make application for the bonds at the earliest possible moment. The banks are generally crowded to capacity toward the last of the open period for the loan, in addition to doing their own business, which, by the way, takes up the normal working hours of the day. Therefore, it would be the considerate thing to do to subscribe early and make business, which, by the way, takes up thing to do to subscribe early and make the final rush as light as possible.

The experience of the two aviators rural carrier in Randolph. who fell into the Irish sea in the preliminary stage of their trans-Atlantic flight from the British Isles to the Unit. By the Spaulding High School Baseball ed States may come in handy once they attempt the real flight they have in mind. That they escaped without injury when their machine plunged into the Irish sea is perhaps an augury of safety should a similar event befall them somewhere in the Atlantic, although they will need all their resources because the Atlantic ocean is a far larger body of water than the Irish sea and is not so easily covered by the supporting ships.

It is reported that a large number of foreigners now in the United States are preparing to leave for their home countries just as soon as the peace treaty shall have been signed and that they are taking with them a huge sum of money in the aggregate, the money representing the accumulations of their years of labor in the United States. No doubt the reason for their determination to return to their home land is because of the belief that the reorganization incident to peace will mean the opening up of many opportunities for those having a little money and those possessed of a willingness to work. It is a more or less doubtful outlook for many reasons and afternoon. Eight members and one vis-not likely to prove so attractive in the itor were present. The afternoon was reality as these people believe at the present time. There never will be the present time. There never will be the advantages of industry which the United States offers, and, in addition, there will be unusual burdens imposed upon the unusual burdens imposed upon the pointment," Sarah Baldwin; "Elizabeth's be unusual burdens imposed upon the people of the European countries in the re-establishment of the conditions which sartlett. A delicious supper was served, existed prior to the war. The newcomers to the countries must assume their share of that burden along with the people who have worried through more than four years of war.

WHAT THE GOVERNMENT WANTS OF US.

The formal opening of the fifth effort of the United States government to raise a great sum of money by subscription will come next Monday. The government is to raise \$4,500,000,000. The interest rate on the issue will be 4% per cent, the highest yet fixed by the government. The bonds, or notes, will be of short-term maturity; that is, the goverament will pay back the money, plus interest, within a few years. These obligations of the United States govern- if ment are, therefore, in some ways more attractive than any of the bonds of previous issues floated since the government

went to war with Germany. Reason why the government is asking for these four billion, five hundred million dollars at this time is contained in the simple statement that the United States has bought something and must pay for it. Therefore, it is coming to the people of the nation to secure a loan wour expectations will be fully reali sufficient to cover the balance of the everything government's debts.

Shall we loan the money which the

government asks? Of course we shall. It would be rank disloyalty, as well as the passing up of a great opportunity for investment, if we should fail to provide the full amount sought by the government. We as a nation committed ourselves to the task of defeating Germany; and we and our allies performed that task. Now we must provide the

means for cleaning up that military victory. The money so willingly subscribed in the four previous loans falls somewhat short of the amount required for closing up the current expense account of the government. Now let us finish the job by raising the balance needed. Let every man, woman and child invest to the limit of his ability.

#### WILLIAMSTOWN

ence to the Vermont conference and appointed to the Centenary M. E. church of this town by Bishop Leete, comes to this pastorate with 23 years' experience 10 years he has served as conference statistician. He was trained for the ministry in Boston university, after which he graduated with honor from the conference course of study. Mr. Markey is a Mason and an Odd Fellow, being a past grand in the latter order and also a past chief patriarch in the camp. He was made an honorary member of the G. A. R. post at Wells River. Mr. Markey has the reputation of being a thorough and dertakes and has evidently entered on his pastorate here with a will to do all that he can for his parish and the commonwealth at large.

Mrs. Ellen Bruce Poland of Spring field, Mass., who came here to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Martin Poland, left on Friday morning for a visit to her niece, Mrs. Myrtle Kathan Don-

A. S. Winchester was in Barre yester-day to see his uncle, Asa Harrington,

Miss Nellie Tillotson, who has been confined to her home here with a sprained Vermont to raise its subscription price ankle, went to-day to West Berlin,

where she will resume her school on Mon-Everett Waldo has made a deal with a newspaper is the Randolph Herald and his father, Henry B. Waldo, to carry on News, which states that after May I the his farm, known as the Brush place, for

Clarence Wilfore has received a telegram from his brother, Floyd Wilfere, saying he had arrived safely in New

York and wishing all the folks a happy Miss Emma Adams, who has been em played in Sharon for several months

past, is at home. The following officers of the ladies' social circle of the Universalist church were elected last week: President, Mrs. May Jeffords; vice-president, Mrs. Myra Williams; secretary, Mrs. Annie Gale;

The Mizpah class of the M. E. Sunday chool met last Wednesday evening with Mrs. Clarence Bailey for a business meet ing and social hour

Mrs. Charles U. Sivright is now improving and the nurse, Mrs. W. H. Holley has gone to attend a patient in Mont

transport corps at Camp Eustis, Va., on April 15. After a visit with friends and relatives, he will resume

### TWELVE GAMES SCHEDULED

Manager Ronald Morgan of the Spauld-ig baseball nine has revised the schedule of games to be played during the spring term. Last year only eight games were scheduled and played during the entire season; this year 12 are already on the list, with one open date.

May 3-Montpeller seminary at Barre. May 7-Montpelier high school at

May 10-Burlington high school at

May 14-Montpelier high school at May 17-Peoples academy at Morris-

May 21-Open. May 24-Peoples academy at Barre. May 30-St. Albans at St. Albans. May 31-Burlington high school at

Burlington. June 4-St. Albans at Barre. June 7-Waterbury at Barre. June 10-Montpelier seminary at

June 14-Waterbury high school at Waterbury. Manager, Ronald Morgan; captain,

#### Americo Polli. PLAINFIELD

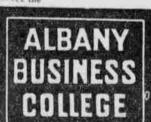
Neither cloudy skies nor muddy roads kept members of the Mothers' club from meeting with Mrs. Cora Perry Thursday spent in sewing. Several short sketches were read, as follows: "Teaching Chil-Bessie Farnham; "Teaching Children to Enjoy Everything," Annice Mildred Paige Thursday afternoon,

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HERE AND THERE ABOUT BARRE

So much has been written lately about nature. Back 60 years there dwelt a man on the East Barre road who kept bees, and the bees produced honey that the Jail branch, and there underneath was of particular sweetness, or so the boys of that time believed. It happened that a party of youngsters could not re-sist trying out the honey, and in order to get at the honey without being stung procured a large number of matches with which they burned the bees. Their progress to the hives being thus rendered easy, they proceeded to satisfy their inner longings and then to carry away and the magnitude of the offense has be what they could not eat at the time.

Being at a loss to know where to cache their ill-gotten spoils, they proceeded along the road until they came to the bridge under which a little brook named Gale brook (bearing the name of a set-tler nearby) gurgled its noisy way into Jail branch. Crawling under the bridge, they found a place to hide their surplus honey until the same should be disposed

But alas! it was not so to be, for the owner of the bees, doing the Sherlock Holmes act, came to Barre lower village and made the rounds of the few stores until he located the place where a quantity of matches had recently been bought He next learned the names of the purchasers or at least some of them-and the cat was out of the bag in a short

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been recorded so far as we know). Then the house Honey brook and its environs that it the boys' confession having included a may be interesting to know how the tearful statement of what had become brook came to bear a name of such odd of the surplus honey, the owner of the nature. Back 60 years there dwelt a property went to the little old bridge spanning the Gale brook flowing into

> was left after the youthful gorge. So ever after that incident the Gale brook has been known as Honey brook; and so it will remain until some new vagary of the human fancy may change t. All the participants in the incident have passed on with a single exception come lessened by time and contemplation of the good deeds that far outweighed the evil of the little honey expedition on the East Barre road.

But while we are on the subject of Honey brook, a subject which was so interestingly handled by a recent contributor in these columns, it may be well to refer in passing to the old granite house which stands high up on the left bank of of in the way most satisfactory to boys. the brook about halfway to the top of the picturesque gully. A good many people have wondered at the structure erected on a back road and in a section of he country where wooden farm houses predominate and granite houses almost ever are seen.

> This old granite house lacks one year of being 80 years old. It was erected in 1840 and it stands to-day like a memorial to the builder, Pliny Wheaton, grandfather of the present but who himself lives just across the road. The elder Pliny Whenton was the owner of the granite quarry which is still referred to by the older people of Barre as the Wheaton quarry although it has long since gone under a different commercial name. Pliny Wheaton, the elder, spent 100 wearisome days getting out and shaping the stones which make the present sturdy walls of the house on the bank of Honey brook. He had

soon had the whole youthful party of assistance in putting the walls into honey plunderers rounded up, and the shape and in the completing of the strucboys (or their parents) had some size-able bills to meet, reading "To honey, phases of the construction from the time of each bill not being recorded-and, as of the earth a short distance away until a matter of fact, this incident has never the last finishing touches were put on

> After these four score years, the house stands true and seems destined to be one of the landmarks for centuries un der normal conditions.

Casual visitors who may clamber over the structure he found the honey that the huge granite boulders that form part of the bed of the stream in the Honey brook gully may be interested enough to turn aside, westward on the road which leads around Cobble hill, in order to take a glimpse of this Wheaton monument, the old stone house.

A Friendly Suggestion.

"Bridget, I don't want you to have so much company. Why, you have more callers in a day than I have in a week." "Well, mum, perhaps if you'd try to be a little more agreeable, you'd have as many friends as I have."—Boston

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